NOTE 2.—From 1st July 1897 the rate of still-head duty on Arrack 20° under-proof, payable to Government, will be raised from Rs. 4 to Rs. 4-12-0, and the retail price thereof from Rs. 5-5-0 to Rs. 6-6-0 per gallon (*i. e.*, from Re. 0-1-8 to Re. 0-2-0 per dram which is equal to $\frac{1}{80}$ part of a gallon). The rates of still-head duty and retail price of single-distilled spirits of greater or lesser strength than 20° under-proof, will be calculated proportionately upon the rates for 20° under-proof, in accordance with Casella's Rules. Government reserve to themselves the power of altering the rates of duty and price, it being distinctly understood that the manufacturing contractor shall not be entitled to claim any compensation for loss on account of such alteration.

NOTE 3.—For double-distilled spirits of all strengths, the rates of still-head duty will be calculated proportionately upon the rate for 20° under-proof, in accordance with Casella's Rules. But for these spirits as well as for other special liquors manufactured at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, or other place approved by Government, both the manufacturer and the licensed vendor will be at liberty to fix their own prices.

NOTE 4.—The present contractors are reported to have, up to the end of August 1896, incurred an expenditure of Rs. 69,048-2-0 on account of plant put up.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Departments.

APPENDIX.

FORM OF TENDER.

To

The Excise Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to the Mysore Government Notification No. 5814-Ex. 223, dated 28th December 1896, published in the *Mysore Gazette, Extraordinary* of that date, I beg to tender for the exclusive privilege of the Manufacture of Arrack for the territories of Mysore, inclusive of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, for a term of five years from **1st July 1897 to 30th June 1902,** subject to the terms, rules and conditions specified in the Notification above quoted.

2. I hereby offer to manufacture and supply Arrack of the strength of 20° under-proof at Rs. . a. . p. per gallon for the entire period of the contract.

3. I enclose_____for **Rs. 5,000**, duly endorsed in favor of "The Dewan of Mysore," as required by para 6 of the said Notification.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

*Date*_____

*Address*_____

No. 7110--*R. F.* 176-92, *dated 8th February* 1897.

Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of the wholesale vend of ganja and any preparation thereof, except halva, throughout the territories of Mysore, exclusive of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

2. The contract will be for five years from 1st July 1897 to 30th June 1902.

3. Every tender must specify the minimum annual revenue which the tenderer will guarantee to Government, and shall be for one lump sum inclusive of local cess for the whole province. No tender which guarantees to Government less than a minimum annual revenue of Rs. 15,000 including local cess, will be considered. Every tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in cash, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of wholesale vend of ganja and any preparation thereof, except halva, for all the districts of the Mysore province, excluding the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore."

4. The tenders must be delivered at the Excise Commissioner's office at Bangalore on or before the noon of Monday the 15th March 1897, when they will be opened by the Excise Commissioner in the presence of such of the applicants as may be present. The applicant whose tender may be selected by the Excise Commissioner for recommendation to Government, will be required to deposit at once in cash, or in Government securities duly endorsed in favor of "the Dewan of Mysore," a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the annual amount guaranteed, failing which the deposit made with the tender, will be forfeited, and the contract otherwise disposed of at the sole risk of the tenderer who shall not be entitled to share in any increase which may thereby accrue.

5. When the decision of the Government is announced, the deposits made by the applicants whose tenders have been rejected, will be returned to them on application. The Government reserves to itself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

6. The party whose tender may be accepted, shall, within eight days after the Government decision has been communicated to him, deposit in the State Huzur Treasury a sum in cash, or Government securities duly endorsed in favor of "the Dewan of Mysore," which, with the sums previously deposited under para 4, shall be equal to one-fourth of the yearly revenue guaranteed, and shall execute an agreement in the prescribed form, on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the con-

ditions hereinafter set forth; and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made, will be forfeited to Government, and the contract otherwise disposed of. No tender proposing any modification of any of the terms of this Notification, will be considered.

7. The contract for which tenders are now invited, shall be subject to the following conditions namely:—

Conditions.

I. The contract shall not be transferable without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Mysore Government.

II. For the purposes of this contract, Government may decline to recognize any representative, agent or partner appointed or taken by the contractors during the period of the contract, unless such representative, agent or partner shall have been first approved of by the Excise Commissioner for the time being.

III. (A) The minimum amount guaranteed shall be payable to Government in 12 equal monthly instalments on or before the 20th of each month.

(B) The contractor shall pay into the Taluk Treasuries of the State or into the Bangalore District Treasury the fees due on the wholesale vend of ganja and preparations thereof at the rates prescribed by Government and mentioned in para VIII following. If the total amount of fees paid by him on the wholesale vend of ganja and its preparations at the rates above mentioned, be not sufficient in any month to make up the instalment of the guaranteed amount for that month, the contractor shall pay such further amount as may be required to make up the deficiency. On the other hand, if the said fees exceed the said instalment, the excess shall be available to make up the deficiency in any other month of the same official year, this deficiency being adjusted by short payment into the treasury when the khist for the month is tendered, to the extent of such *net* excess sales as may be available when such khist fell due. If the sum available is at any time more than sufficient to make up the deficiency to which it has been applied, the surplus thus accruing shall be paid into the Bangalore District Treasury with the instalment of the month in which such surplus was realised.

(C) In case of default in the payment of any of the instalments as aforesaid up to the 15th of the month following that for which it is due, interest at 6 per cent per annum shall be payable in addition; and with the sanction of Government, it shall be lawful, for the Excise Commissioner, to declare the deposit forfeited, to order the contract to be taken under Government management, or to declare the lease forfeited and to dispose of it otherwise at the contractor's risk and loss, and further to recover all arrears together with the loss of revenue entailed on Government by such disposal, by the attachment and sale of his property, personal or real, including cash at Wholesale Depôts, in accordance with the rules relating to the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

IV. The Excise Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of each district, shall be at liberty on good and valid grounds existing therefor, to make any alterations in the number and localities of the shops that he may from time to time consider necessary, or to close any shop without any claims for compensation on the part of the contractor.

V. The contractor shall sell ganja and its preparations only to licensed vendors, and shall not interfere with retail vendors in any way.

VI. The ganja and majum and other preparations thereof sold, shall be of good quality, not black or old, or such as may have lost medicinal virtues, and must be without stalks and seeds which should be removed before issue to retail vendors, or equivalent weight of good ganja given for such stalks and seeds when returned by retail vendors, and must not be adulterated. Powdered ganja to the extent of 5 per cent only shall be taken by the vendors. Such powdered ganja may be made up by the retail vendors into *halva*. The contractor shall always keep on hand not less than one month's supply of ganja at each Wholesale Depôt and two months' stock (exclusive of the stock at depôts) at the Provincial Head-quarters Depôt at the Bangalore Distillery.

VII. All ganja and its preparations transferred from a Wholesale Depôt in one district, to a Wholesale Depôt in another district, shall be covered by a Transport Pass in the prescribed form, and when sent from one Wholesale Depôt to another in the same district, they shall be covered by the "Contractor's Pass" in the prescribed form; and the conditions of such Passes shall not be infringed; and the number and date thereon shall be duly quoted in the depôt account against the entry of receipts in the depôt registers. Those sold at the depôt to retail vendors, shall be covered by a Permit in the prescribed form signed by the contractor or his authorized agent, the conditions whereof shall not be infringed.

VIII. The fees inclusive of local cess on the wholesale vend, payable to Government, and rates of prices for the wholesale and retail vend of ganja and majum, per seer of 24 tolas, are fixed as specified below for the whole province :—

	Rates of fee payable to Govt. on wholesale vend.	Wholesale price.	Retail price.
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Ganja per seer of 24 tolas	0 6 0	0 10 0	0 13 0
Majum or any other preparation of ganja (except halva) per seer of 24 tolas.	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 6 0

IX. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to close any particular shop or shops, on the requisition of the Military Authorities or Magistracy, temporarily or permanently, and the contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation therefor. But with the approval of the Excise Commissioner, the number so reduced, might, if the public requirements demand it, be re-established in other adjacent towns or villages.

X. The prescribed rates of License fees for Retail shops are as per particulars given below :—

		Rate of fee per month. Rs. a. p.
1st class shops with an income of Rs. 29 and more per mensem	...	10 0 0
2nd do Rs. 20 and below Rs. 29 per mensem	...	5 0 0
3rd do Rs. 10 and below Rs. 20 do	...	2 0 0
4th do less than Rs. 10 do	...	Nil.

In places where there is a likelihood of *bonâ fide* competition, each license will be sold by public auction; and the fee payable for it will be determined by the result of such sale, instead of levying the fixed fee according to the above scale.

XI. The Excise Commissioner in Mysore may permit the contractor to import ganja from beyond the territories of Mysore under "Import Passes" to be issued by him in communication with the authorities of the district from which the article is to be imported, and such drugs, with the passes granted, shall be duly brought to book first at the Provincial Head-quarters Depôt at the Bangalore Government Central Distillery, ere it is utilized or transferred to the Wholesale Depôts. To obviate complications in accounts, the stock of drugs sent to one district shall, as far as possible, be sold in that district.

XII. The contractor shall keep at the Head-quarters Depôt at the Bangalore Distillery, and render a true and correct account of all cash transactions and of ganja cultivated and drugs manufactured and brought and sold at the Wholesale Depôts, to the Excise Commissioner, monthly, and allow the officers of the Excise Department free access always to all the accounts kept by the contractor, which shall be true and accurate, and in the prescribed forms. And for the purposes of this contract, the contractor shall open an account showing in detail the supply price cost of the drug, cost of carriage by cart and rail, other charges, if any, and the cost of drugs per maund. The number and date of transport or import passes shall be noted, and each item duly vouched for with original receipts, &c., duly numbered. The cost of establishment, contingencies, &c., shall also be given monthly *in detail*. A copy of this account shall be furnished to the Excise Commissioner monthly, and the original accounts with vouchers shall be kept at the Provincial Head-quarters Depôt at the Bangalore Distillery.

XIII. Disorderly conduct and irregular transactions at the Wholesale Depôts shall not be permitted by the contractor's agents or employés. The Wholesale Depôts shall be provided, at the contractor's cost, with correct scales and weights, duly stamped by Government; and further, all such employés shall, 15 days after the agreement is signed by the contractor, enter into engagements with the contractor to abide by the spirit and letter of the conditions entered into by the contractor with Government, and of the laws and rules in force, and such engagements shall be deposited for each district in the Deputy Commissioner's office without delay. Such employés shall take out wholesale licenses if employed to sell the drugs, and sign permits for the contractor. With the permission of the Government Arrack carriage contractor, all Mutsaddis in charge of Bonded Depôts and with the consent of the Arrack Vend renters all Mutsaddis in charge of Farm Depôts may be employed as wholesale vendors of ganja and its preparations, and paid such commission on the sales as shall be fixed by the Excise Commissioner, not exceeding one anna per seer sold by them. All ganja and majum or any other preparation of ganja (except halva) remaining on hand on the 1st July 1897 at the Head-quarters Depôt and all Wholesale Depôts, if of good quality and fit for use, shall be taken over by the in-coming contractor at an average rate of price struck on the rate entered in the accounts kept by the out-going contractor, on the value of the drugs so transferred. Similarly the in coming contractor shall take over all scales and weights at the Head-quarters and other depôts, if correct and in good order, at a valuation to be fixed by the Excise Commissioner. The out-going contractor shall be liable similarly to make over, on the determination of his contract, the unsold stock in hand and scales and weights to his successor in the lease.

XIV. The contractor shall conform to the rules now in force, or any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Government, not inconsistent with the terms of this notification. Information on any other matters in connection with this contract, will be afforded at the Excise Commissioner's office.

XV. The contractor shall be at liberty to raise his own ganja on applying for and obtaining a Government patta to be granted by the Amildar, the conditions whereof shall be strictly adhered to, or to purchase it from raiyats permitted to raise it.

XVI. For any infringement of the above conditions, the contractor shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 500 to be levied at the discretion of the Excise Commissioner, and to the forfeiture of the contract, with the approval of Government, if deemed necessary, and to such further penalties as are prescribed by the laws in force for breaches thereof or of the rules framed by Government.

8. The quantity and value of ganja sold and the excess sales over and above the minimum guaranteed amount effected in the previous years, and the minimum guaranteed amount for each of those years are noted below :—

Years.	Ganja.		Majum.		Total value.	Minimum amount guaranteed.	Excess sales.	No. of existing depôts.	No. of retail shops.	Remarks.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.						
	Seers. T.	Rs. a. p.	S. T.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.			
1892—93	40,212 15	14,032 8 6	1,113 0	139 2 0	14,171 10 6	8,000 0 0	6,171 10 6	62	119	Value calculated at 2 annas for Majum and 5½ annas for Ganja per seer of 24 tolas.
1893—94	46,858 12	17,571 15 0	1,111 0	138 14 0	17,710 13 0	12,500 0 0	5,210 13 0	62	133	Value calculated at 6 annas for Ganja and 2 annas for Majum per seer of 24 tolas.
1894—95	58,935 6	22,100 11 6	1,033 0	129 2 0	22,229 13 6	13,000 0 0	9,229 13 6	64	145	
1895—96	65,382 12	24,518 7 0	1,086 0	135 12 0	24,654 3 0	13,500 0 0	11,154 3 0	64	161	

No. 6720—*Ex.* 271, *dated* 29*th January* 1897.

The Government of Mysore are pleased to direct that the following be substituted for Condition VI, in para 8 of the Government Notification No. 5814—Ex. 223, dated the 28th December 1896, inviting tenders for the next arrack manufacturing contract :—

"The contractor shall be bound to conform to the provisions of the Excise Law for the time be-
"ing in force in the Territories of Mysore and in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, as well as
"to the rules framed thereunder from time to time."

No. 6993—*R. F.* 87-95, *dated* 3*rd February* 1897.

It is hereby declared under Section 6 of the Mysore Land Acquisition Regulation No. VII of 1894, that the undermentioned lands situated in the Virupasandra village in the Pavagada taluk, are required for a public purpose, *viz.*, for transfer to the Madras Government for the up-keep of the Narasipur Channel in the Hindupur taluk.

Name of khatedar.		Extent inclusive of kharab.			Total assessment of the land.	Remarks.
		Dry.	Wet.	Total.		
		A. g	A. g.	A. g.	Rs. a. p.	
Komti Sanjeevappa *bin* Chitambrappa ..	24 1	..	2 2	2 8	5 12 0	*The extent of kharab comprized in the total extent is 32 guntas.
Divakarappa *bin* Sanjeevaraya	26 1	..	1 11	1 18	4 8 0	
Shanbhog Sanjeevappa..	26 2	..	1 36	1 36	6 8 0	
Siddegowda	27	1 37	2 3	4 12	5 0 0	
V. Lingana Chowda	40 1	..	1 23	1 27	6 4 0	
V. Atchakka *kom* Yerroni	40 3	..	0 22	0 22	2 8 0	
Earigana Dasiga	40 3	..	0 12	0 12	1 4 0	
Oogrammanahalli Narasimha	40 3	..	0 39	0 39	4 0 0	
V. Chickaveera Chowdiga	41 1	..	1 32	1 32	7 0 0	
Nalladhaligana Narsa *kom* Chowdiga ..	41 2	..	1 22	1 22	6 0 0	
Rungachar	41 3	..	1 8	1 8	4 12 0	
Dasiga *bin* Thimma	42 1	..	1 23	1 26	6 0 0	
S. Narasimha	42 2	..	1 30	1 30	7 0 0	
		1 37	18 23	*21 12	66 8 0	

No. 7147—Ex. 281, DATED 10TH FEBRUARY 1897.

Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of establishing Bonded Depôts at the localities specified in Appendix A and transporting thereto arrack and other country spirits from the Bangalore Government Central Distillery *under bond*, and distributing the same to the respective arrack vend farmers and separate shop-keepers attached to the said Depôts, during the next five years beginning with 1st July 1897 and ending with 30th June 1902.

2. The privilege for which tenders are now invited will be conceded subject to the conditions specified in Appendices S (i) and S (ii) (hereto annexed) of the rules published under Notification No. 495, dated 30th March 1892, and which are hereby slightly modified, and to the Excise Laws and Rules now in force, or which may, from time to time, be passed by Government.

3. The quantity of arrack and other spirits conveyed from the Government Central Distillery to each Bonded Depôt during the past years of the current contract period, is mentioned in Appendix A.

4. Tenderers must specify the lowest rate of remuneration per gallon of spirits to be carried from the Distillery, at which they would take up the contract. They must specify one rate for the Bangalore City Depôt and another rate for the Depôts in all Districts, except the Bangalore District, in which latter the vend farmers carry their supplies of arrack from the Distillery itself. The rates thus tendered, and accepted by Government, shall be the rates at which remuneration will be payable to the successful tenderer who shall be called, "Government contractor for carriage of arrack and other "country spirits to Bonded Depôts," during the currency of the contract granted under this Notification. (The rates at which remuneration is paid to the present contractor, are 6 pies for the Bangalore City and 2 annas and 1½ pie for all the Districts except the Bangalore District).

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 for the Bangalore City Depôt, and Rs. 500 for the Mofussil Depôts specified in Appendix A, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of establish-"ing Bonded Depôts, and carrying spirits thereto from the Bangalore Government "Central Distillery, and distributing the same to vend farmers and separate shops," and must be sent to the Excise Commissioner at Bangalore, so as to reach him before noon on Monday the 15th March 1897, after which date no tender will be received. The tenders will be opened by the Excise Commissioner at his office at 12 o'clock noon on the 15th March 1897 in the presence of such of the applicants as may be present. The final disposal of the tenders will rest, subject to the approval of Government, with the Excise Commissioner who reserves to himself full power to reject any or all of the tenders without assigning any reason. The deposits made by the applicants whose tenders are rejected will be immediately returned to them by the Excise Commissioner.

6. The applicant whose tender may be accepted by the Excise Commissioner, shall, within eight days of the acceptance of his tender being communicated to him, deposit at the Huzur Treasury, Bangalore, a further sum in cash or in Government securities, duly endorsed in favor of the Dewan of Mysore, for the time being, to make with the deposits previously made, a sum of Rs. 1,000 for the Bangalore City Depôt, and Rs. 5,000 for the aforesaid Mofussil Depôts, and shall execute an agreement in the prescribed appended form S (i) for the Bangalore City Depôt, and S (ii) for the said Mofussil Depôts, on proper stamps, binding himself to conform to the conditions therein set forth; and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government, and the contract otherwise disposed of.

7. No tender proposing any modification of any of the terms of this Notification will be considered.

8. The contract shall not be transferable except with the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner subject to the approval of Government.

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Statement showing the localities of Bonded Depôts and the quantity of Arrack and other Country Spirits issued from the Central Distillery to the existing Depôts during the current contract, &c.

District.	Taluk.	Locality where Bonded Depôt now exists or should be established.	Locality and number and separate shops dependent on each Depôt.	Names of Arrack Vend Farms dependent on each Depôt.	Quantity of Spirits issued from Central Distillery to Bonded Depôt. In 1892-93. Gl.	Dr.	In 1893-94. Gl.	Dr.	In 1894-95. Gl.	Dr.	In 1895-96. Gl.	Dr.	Percentage of Bung Wastage. Gl.	Dr.	Remarks.
Bangalore	Bangalore ...	Bangalore City ...	Bangalore City (26 shops.)	Nil.	58,402	4	59,276	42	66,364	11	71,706	23	...		
	Kolar ...	Kolar ...		Kolar ...	6,580	3	6,523	1	6,679	30	6,685	40	...	44·1	
	Malur ...	Malur ...		Malur and Tyakal ...	4,285	48	4,733	11	5,014	29	4,345	1	...	44·3	
	Do ...	Narsapur ...		Narasapur and Vemagal ...	1,934	15	1,804	41	1,885	11	2,182	44	1	3·8	
	Mulbagal ...	Mulbagal ...		Mulbagal and Yeldur ...	2,460	38	2,584	49	3,655	29	3,548	34	1	7·2	
	Sidlaghatta ...	Sidlaghatta ...		Sidlaghatta, Jangamkote, Bassettihalli and Kaivara.	4,852	46	5,096	...	4,386	33	4,512	18	...	36·2	
	Srinivaspur ...	Srinivaspur ...		Srinivaspur and Ronur ...	2,719	49	2,616	36	2,080	15	1,869	36	1	8·8	
	Chintamani ...	Chintamani ...		Chintamani, Addagal and Gunjigunta.	4,230	50	4,206	45	4,797	...	4,712	43	1	5	
	Chikballapur...	Chikballapur ...		Chikballapur and Perisandra ...	5,643	47	6,105	36	5,820	40	6,196	1	...	44·9	
	Bagepalli ...	Gudibanda (*a*) ...		Gudibanda	725	36	...		...		...		...	42·1	(*a*) The Depôt was abolished in April 1893.
	Do ...	Bagepalli ...		Bagepalli and Palya ...	1,780	28	2,208	30	2,822	12	2,857	43	1	17	
	Do ..	Patapalya (*b*) ...		... ..	...		..		...		...		...		(*b*) To be newly opened if necessary.
	Giribidnur ...	Goribidnur ...		Goribidnur ...	2,088	16	1,737	12	1,243	3	1,139	8	...	38·6	
	Bowringpet ...	Bowringpet for separate shops.	Gold Fields (18 shops.)	.....	20,359	22	22,366	3	22,656	41	53,480	12	...	42·6	

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District.	Taluk.	Locality where Bonded Depôt now exists or should be established.	Locality and number of Separate Shops dependent on each Depôt.	Names of Arrack Vend Farms dependent on each Depôt.	Quantity of Spirits issued from Central Distillery to Bonded Depôts.								Percentage of Bung Wastage.		Remarks.
					In 1892-93.		In 1893-94.		In 1894-95.		In 1895-96.				
					Gl.	Dr.	Gl.	Dr.	Gl.	Dr.	Gl.	Dr.	Gl.	Dr.	
Hassan.	Hassan ...	Hassan ...		Hassan, Alur, Holé-Narsipur and Channarayapatna.	7,728	33	8,582	50	8,850	55	8,181	16	1	16·6	
	Belur ...	Belur ...		Belur ...	3,757	34	3,978	50	4,992	10	4,857	16	1	31·6	
	Arsikere ..	Arsikere ...		Arsikere ...	2,195	31	2,238	46	2,554	14	2,182	6	1	16·8	
	Manjarabad ...	Yeslur ...		Yeslur and Sukravarsante.	3,353	29	3,542	14	4,884	41	5,511	23	1	40·7	
	Do ...	Saklespur ...		Saklespur ...	5,006	20	6,432	36	6,639	49	6,198	50	1	36·8	
	Channaraya-patna.	Channarayapatna(*g*).		.....	313	15	...		...		...		1	43·1	(*g*) The Depôt was abolished in November 1892, and may be opened.
	Arkalgud ..	Arkalgud (*h*) ...		Arkalgud ...	...		...		...		...		...		(*h*) Opened in Sept. 1896.
	Holé-Narsipur.	Holé-Narsipur (*i*)...		.....	...		...		...		...		...		(*i*) To be newly opened if required.
Kadur.	Chikmagalur.	Chikmagalur ..		Chikmagalur, Vastra and Aldur.	19,079	8	20,879	16	24,725	12	25,486	22	1	13·8	
	Kadur ...	Kadur ...		Kadur and Birur ...	2,039	26	2,513	39	1,964	20	2,142	41	1	3 ·7	
	Mudgere ...	Mudgere ...		Mudgere and Bankal ...	7,568	47	9,283	6	10,944	16	10,774	42	1	15·5	
	Tarikere ...	Tarikere ...		Tarikere, Lingadhalli and Lakkavalli.	6,273	48	7,520	17	7,507	3	7,968	49	1	13·9	
	Koppa ...	Sollebail ...		Sollebail and Balehonnur ...	2,927	44	2,937	41	3,651	23	3,015	46	1	45	
	Do ...	Hariharpur ...		Hariharpur and Koppa ...	7,119	40	7,004	39	6,063	21	5,977	9	1	35·1	
	Do ...	Yedahalli ..		Yedahalli ...	1,344	24	1,169	7	1,458	3	1,138	8	1	44·9	
	Do ...	Sringeri (*j*) ...		Sringeri ...	...		1,674	50	2,710	10	2,672	22	1	39·3	(*j*) Opened in October 1893.
	Shimoga ...	Shimoga ...		Shimoga, Holalur and Bidare.	9,821	41	11,237	42	13,347	7	12,587	3	1	33·3	
	Do ...	Benkipur ...		Benkipur and Holehonnur...	2,513	4	2,622	13	2,415	34	2,682	12	1	16·7	

Shimoga.	Shimoga ...	Ayanur ..	Ayanur ...	2,083 30	1,827 45	2,284 22	2,028 19	1	38·3		
	Shikarpur ...	Shikarpur ...	Shikarpur and Mugalgere ..	4,136 1	3,853 47	4,468 19	3,108 14	1	44·3		
	Sagar ...	Sagar ...	Sagar, Talaguppe and Bellandur.	3,379 46	3,447 14	3,847 3	4,448 12	2	1·8		
	Do ...	Ananthapur (*k*) ...	Ananthapur ..	1,568 50	1,673 22	1,994 55	... ...	1	41·5	(*k*) The Depôt was abolished in June 1895, and may be opened if required.	
	Sorab ..	Sorab ..	Sorab and Anavatti ...	3,242 28	3,335 37	3,123 7	2,781 4	1	50·7		
	Tirthahalli ...	Tirthahalli ...	Tirthahalli, Agrahar, Hirimuttur, Mundagadde and Agumbe.	6,267 7	7,110 13	7,516 2	7,384 21	1	34·3		
	Do ...	Mundagadde (*l*) ...	.....	518 43	...	102 39	...	1	30·9	(*l*) To be opened if required.	
	Nagar ...	Kallurkatte (*m*) ...	Nagar ...	...	...	...	1,235 16	2	17·7	(*m*) The Depôt was opened in July 1895.	
	Honnali ...	Nyamti ...	Honnali and Nyamti ...	4,405 15	4,174 46	4,186 41	4,773 23	1	40·5		
	Do ...	Honnali (*n*) ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...		(*n*) To be newly opened if required.	
	Channagiri ...	Channagiri ...	Channagiri ...	937 45	1,151 16	1,039 9	1,154 2	1	29·9		
Chitaldrug.	Chitaldrug ...	Chitaldrug ...	Chitaldrug, Jagalur, Challakere and Hiriyur.	2,803 8	2,924 40	3,442 5	3,121 29	1	17·4		
	Davangere ...	Davangere ..	Davangere ...	1,462 38	1,169 24	1,367 1	1,390 1	1	10·4		
	Do ..	Harihar ...	Harihar ...	1,614 42	1,820 3	1,558 41	1,402 37	1	25·5		
	Molakalmuru.	Molakalmuru ...	Molakalmuru ...	720 25	751 10	1,044 16	1,034 37	1	35·9		
	Holalkere ...	Holalkere ...	Holalkere ...	576 44	722 49	671 50	522 49	1	14·3		
	Jagalur ..	Jagalur }		...	...	...	...	...			
	Hiriyur ..	Hiriyur } (*o*)	.....	...	...	...	...	...		(*o*) To be newly opened if required.	
	Challakere ..	Chal'akere }		...	...	...	...	...			
			Special Liquors and Methylated Spirits issued Under Bond.	68 ...	35 17	67 34	52 ...	...			
			Total for the Province excluding Bangalore City.	2,53,839 41	2,74,170 23	2,95,669 29	2,98,471 32	1·24	...		

APPENDIX S. (i)

Form of Contract Bond to be executed by the Government Contractor for carriage of Arrack and other Country Spirits to the Bangalore City Bonded Depôt.

WHEREAS I, , have been granted by the Government of Mysore for the period of five years beginning with the 1st of July 1897, and ending with the 30th of June 1902, the right of conveying arrack and other country spirits from the Central Distillery *under bond* to the Depôt in the City of Bangalore, in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of the separate shops dependent on such Depôt, and whereas the said Government has agreed to pay me the remuneration hereinafter described, I, the said , for myself, my heirs, legal representatives, and assigns hereby agree and bind myself to all the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth :—

(1) that I hold myself responsible to Government for the correct delivery of the requisite supplies of arrack at 20° under-proof to the separate shop-keepers, in the said Bonded Depôt at the City of Bangalore, on production of Treasury receipts in proof of prepayment of duty and price of such arrack ;

(2) that in special cases sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, I shall be bound to carry the requisite supply of arrack to any altered locality of the existing Depôt, provided the expense to me is not likely to be greater than supplying the present Depôt ;

(3) that as remuneration for my contract, the Government shall pay me, at the end of each month, an amount calculated at the rate of for every gallon of arrack conveyed by me from the Central Distillery to the Depôt, and shall allow me no wastage under any circumstances whatsoever ;

(4) that the usual establishment required for such Depôt and the house rent shall be paid for by myself ;

(5) that the establishment at the Depôt shall keep such accounts as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be under the control and orders of myself, and regard themselves as my servants ;

(6) that I shall conform to the Excise laws and rules now in force, and which may from time to time be issued by Government, and also to such rules of practice as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner ;

(7) that for the due fulfilment of the terms of this contract, I hereby deposit in the Huzur Treasury the sum of rupees one thousand in cash, (or Government Securities duly endorsed in favor of the Dewan) ;

(8) that I equally with the Depôt-keeper shall be bound by the conditions of the Depôt license, Appendix R of Arrack Rules ;

(9) that I shall be bound to dismiss any of my servants on the requisition of the Excise Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, and appoint qualified men instead, without delay ;

(10) that I shall be bound to make good the loss accruing to Government and the separate shop-keepers by short stock or no stock in the said Depôt, or by my neglect or carelessness in not conveying the necessary supplies of arrack to the Depôt in due time.

(11) that as the liability of the manufacturers ceases on delivery by them of arrack to me at the Distillery, all further liability or responsibility to account for the whole quantity of such arrack thenceforth, shall rest with me, and any diminution from any cause whatever, (Acts of God and the State's enemies and robbery by vis major excepted), shall be made good by me at the prescribed rate of still-head duty and price per gallon of 20° under-proof, and proportionately for higher or lower strengths ;

(12) that in case of any breach of the laws and rules or of the aforesaid conditions, or in case of any attempt at fraud by my servants, agents or employés, it shall be competent to the Excise Commissioner to impose upon them, or upon myself in the event of my neglect, a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for every such breach or neglect, or, at the option of the Excise Commissioner to declare the money deposited by me forfeited ; and to cancel the contract with the previous sanction of Government ;

(13) that the imposition of a fine or the forfeiture of the deposit, or the cancelment of the contract, shall not be held to prevent prosecution for any offence committed under any law for the time being in force ; and

(14) that this contract shall not be transferable except with the consent of the Excise Commissioner subject to the approval of Government.

In witness whereof I, , hereunto set my hand and seal this day of 189 .

Sealed, signed and delivered in the presence of us :—

Witnesses :—

1.

2.

APPENDIX S. (ii)

Form of Contract Bond to be executed by the Government Contractor for carriage of Arrack and other Country Spirits to Bonded Depôts.

WHEREAS I, , have been granted by the Government of Mysore, for the period of five years beginning with the 1st of July 1897, and ending with the 30th of June 1902, the right of conveying arrack and other country spirits from the Central Distillery *under bond* to the various Depôts in the Districts of Kolar, Tumkur, Mysore, Hassan, Kadur, Shimoga, and Chitaldrug, in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of farms and separate shops dependent on such Depôts, and whereas the said Government has agreed to pay me the remuneration hereinafter described, I the said , for myself, my heirs, legal representatives and assigns hereby agree and bind myself to all the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth :—

(1) that I hold myself responsible to Government for the correct delivery of the requisite supplies of arrack at 20° under-proof to the various arrack vend renters or farmers and separate shop-keepers, in the said Bonded Depôts, and of other country spirits for the use of hospitals, dispensaries, &c., on production of Treasury receipts in proof of prepayment of duty and price of such arrack and of the price of other country spirits for the use of hospitals, &c.;

(2) that in special cases sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner at the instance of any farmer, I shall be bound to open new Depôts in any tract and to carry the requisite supply of arrack to such new Depôts or to any altered locality of the existing Depôts, provided the expense to me is not likely to be greater than maintaining and supplying present Depôts ;

(3) that as remuneration for my contract, the Government shall pay me at the end of each month an amount calculated at the rate of annas for every gallon of spirits conveyed by me from the Central Distillery to the Depôts, and shall also allow me actual wastage at a rate not exceeding one and a quarter per cent on the quantity of arrack removed by me from the Distillery and till actual delivery at the Depôts of the liquor to the farmers ;

(4) that the usual establishment required for such Depôts and the house rent shall be paid for by myself ;

(5) that the establishment at such Depôts shall keep such accounts as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be under the control and orders of myself, and regard themselves as my servants ;

(6) that I shall conform to the Excise laws and rules now in force, and which may from time to time be issued by Government, and also to such rules of practice as may be prescribed by the Excise Commissioner ;

(7) that for the due fulfilment of the terms of this contract, I hereby deposit in the Huzur Treasury the sum of rupees five thousand in cash, (or Government Securities duly endorsed in favor of the Dewan) ;

(8) that I equally with the Depôt-keepers shall be bound by the conditions of the Depôt license, Appendix R of Arrack Rules,

(9) that I shall be bound to dismiss any of my servants on the requistion of the Excise Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which they may be employed, and appoint qualified men instead without delay.

(10) that I shall be bound to make good the loss accruing to Government and the farmers and separate shop-keepers by short stock or no stock in the said Depôts, or by my neglect or carelessness in not conveying the necessary supplies of arrack to the Depôts in due time ;

(11) that as the liability of the manufacturers ceases on delivery by them of spirits to me at the Distillery, all further liability or responsibility to account for the whole quantity of such spirits thenceforth, shall rest with me, and any diminution from any cause whatever, (Acts of God and the State's enemies and robbery by vis major excepted), over and above the aforesaid one and a quarter per cent wastage, shall be made good by me at the prescribed rate of still-head duty and price per gallon of 20° under-proof, and proportionately for higher or lower strengths ;

(12) that in case of any breach of the laws and rules or of the aforesaid conditions, or in case of any attempt at fraud by my servants, agents or employés, it shall be competent to the Excise Commissioner to impose upon them, or upon myself in the event of my neglect, a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for every such breach or neglect, or, at the option of the Excise Commissioner to declare the money deposited by me forfeited ; and to cancel the contract with the previous sanction of Government ;

(13) that the imposition of a fine, or the forfeiture of the deposit, or the cancelment of the contract, shall not be held to prevent prosecution for any offence committed under any law for the time being in force ; and

(14) that this contract shall not be transferable except with the consent of the Excise Commissioner subject to the approval of Government.

In witness whereof I, , hereunto set my hand and seal this day of 189 .

Sealed, signed and delivered in the presence of us :—

Witnesses :—

1.

2.

No. 7075—*R.* 2381, *dated 4th February* 1897.

It is hereby notified for public information that the following villages, now attached to the Kelsur, Kutnur and Hangala hoblis of the Gundlupet taluk, are transferred to the Kasba Gundlupet hobli of the said taluk :—

1.	Kelasurpura	Now attached to Kelsur hobli.	
2.	Malvalli	Do	to Kutnur hobli.
3.	Madapalli		
4.	Managopalli		
5.	Bendravadi	Do	to Hangala hobli.

No. 7150—*Ft. F.* 38-95, *dated 1st February* 1897.

Under the provisions of Section 9 of the Forest Rules of 1878, the following revised boundaries of the Huliyurdurga, Oojani and Ippadi blocks of the Huliyurdurga State forest in the Tumkur district are published for general information.

Area 30 square miles.

Name of forest.	Boundaries.
I. Huliyurdurga Block ..	North.—By a cleared standard demarcation line of 66 feet wide from the 3rd mile stone to the 7th furlong 4th mile. East.—From the 7th furlong 4th mile to the 4th furlong 24th mile. South.—From the 4th furlong 24th mile to the 5th furlong 25th mile. West.—From the 5th furlong 25th mile to the 3rd mile stone.
II. Oojani Block ..	North.—By a cleared standard demarcation line of 66 feet wide from the 7th furlong 10th mile to the 5th furlong 13th mile. East.—From the 5th furlong 13th mile to the 2nd furlong 18th mile. South.—From the 2nd furlong 18th mile to the 5th furlong 7th mile. West.—From the 5th furlong 7th mile to the 7th furlong 10th mile.
III. Ippadi Block .	North.—By a cleared standard demarcation line of 66 feet wide from the 1st furlong 14th mile to the 7th furlong 2nd mile. East.—From the 7th furlong 2nd mile to the 3rd furlong 5th mile. South.—From the 3rd furlong 5th mile to the 4th furlong 10th mile. West.—From the 4th furlong 10th mile to the 1st furlong 14th mile. *N. B.*—The demarcation line includes within the State forest portions of S. Nos. 35 and 36 and the whole of Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40 of Varatihalli of the Magadi taluk of the Bangalore district.

No. 7051—*P. F.* 45-96, *dated 2nd February* 1897.

The subjoined rule, framed by Government under the power vested in them by clause (*n*), Section 233 of the Mysore Land Revenue Code, is published for general information. It will be read as para 4 of Section XIX of the Mysore Land Revenue Rules, relating to rates for the use of water :—

"Any person desiring to use Government water for irrigating a land not assessed as wet land shall make an application in writing to the Amildar or other Officer duly authorized to receive such application for permission to make use of the supply of water, stating if he requires it for one year only or permanently ; and if any person uses such water without such permission, he shall be charged with double the rate he would otherwise have been required to pay had he applied for and obtained permission, and shall also be liable to pay as fine five times the wet assessment of the whole survey number thus wholly or partly irrigated."

No. 7156—*Ft. F.* 151-95, *dated 4th February* 1897.

Under Section 6 of the Land Acquisition Regulation, it is hereby declared that the lands detailed in the annexed schedule are required for a public purpose, *viz.*, for constructing a sandal kothi at Mysore between the Yelwal road and the Nanjangud Railway line :—

Serial No.	Survey No.	District.	Taluk.	Hobli.	Village.	Names of owners.	Description of the property to be acquired.	Areas.	Total area.	Boundaries. East.	West.	North.	South.
								A. g. y.	A. g. y.				
1	Municipal limit.	Mysore.	Mysore.	Kasba	Mysore City.	Mr. C. D. Ramaswami Iyer by Mr. H. R. Sreenivasa Row, Amildar, Gundlupet taluk.	Vacant land measuring 70 yards from east to west and 89 3/55 yards from north to south.	1 12 0	1 12 0	Government land.	Railway line and Municipal ground.	Railway line.	Yelwal road.
2						Mr. C. Sreenivasa Iyengar by his agent Mr. H. Nanjundaraj Urs, *Vice*-President, Mysore City.	Vacant land measuring 105 yards from east to west and 111 3/4 yards from north to south.	2 16 110	2 16 110	Mr. Narahari Row's site.	Government land.	Public road.	Yelwal road.

No. 7164—*R. F.* 105-96, *dated 8th February* 1897.

Under Article 172 of the Mysore Service Regulations, K. G. Shamanna, Amildar of the Bagepalli taluk, Kolar district, was granted casual leave of absence for ten days with effect from the 8th November 1896, and the Sheristadar of the taluk was in charge of the current duties during the absence of the Amildar.

No. 7174—*R. F.* 109-96, *dated 10th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, T. Chokanna, Amildar of the Bowringpet taluk, Kolar district, is granted casual leave of absence for three days with effect from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

No. 7177—*R. F.* 108-95, *dated 10th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, H. R. Sreenivasa Rao, Amildar of the Pavagada taluk, Tumkur district, was granted casual leave of absence for three days with effect from the 2nd February 1897 or such other date as he may avail himself of the same, the Taluk Sheristadar being in charge of the current duties of the taluk during the absence of the Amildar on leave or until further orders.

No. 7184—*R. F.* 108-96, *dated 10th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. C. Srikanteswara Iyer, Assistant Comptroller to Government, was granted casual leave of absence for three days with effect from the 27th January 1897.

No. 7186—*R. F.* 29-96, *dated 10th February* 1897.

The one month's privilege leave granted to Mr. J. R. Barrow, Chief Assistant to the Comptroller, Mysore Government, in Government Notification No. 6654—R. F. 29-96, dated 26th January 1897, is hereby extended by twenty-four days.

No. 7188—*R.* 2410, *dated 10th February* 1897.

During the temporary employment of Purmavelu Sitaramaiya, as an Extra Assistant Commissioner, the following temporary promotions of Amildars *sub pro tem* are ordered :—

V. Parthasardiengar, from the 3rd to the 2nd Class.
V. N. Gopal Rao, from the 4th to the 3rd Class.

No. 7192—*R.* 2414, *dated 10th February* 1897.

The following promotions of Amildars are sanctioned with effect from the 28th October 1896 :—

P. Sitaramiya, from acting 2nd Class to 2nd Class *permanent* (*vice* Batni Nagesa Rao, deceased).

C. Sheshadri Iyengar, from the 3rd Class to 2nd Class, *acting* (*seconded.*)

Badami Krishna Rao, from the 4th Class to 3rd Class, *acting* (*vice* C. Sheshadri Iyengar otherwise employed).

No. 7236—*Ft. F.* 7-96, *dated, Camp Mysore, 11th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. J. J. Monteiro, Officiating Assistant Conservator of Forests, Shimoga district, was granted three days' casual leave of absence from the 8th February 1897.

No. 7335—*R.* 2448, *dated, Camp Mysore, 14th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, C. Venkat Row, Amildar of the Nanjangud taluk, Mysore district, was granted casual leave of absence for five days with effect from the 6th February 1897, the Taluk Sheristadar being in charge of the current duties of the taluk during the absence of the Amildar on leave.

No. 100—*R., dated, Camp Mysore, 14th February* 1897.

The services of Mr. Mir Nizamudin Ali Khan, Acting Extra Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug district, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Excise Commissioner for employment on special duty in the Excise Department.

No. 135—*R., dated, Camp Mysore, 16th February* 1897.

Under Article 171 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. T. Weir, Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district, is granted casual leave of absence for three days with effect from the 16th February 1897, the Senior Assistant Commissioner in the district remaining in charge of the current duties of the office of the Deputy Commissioner.

No. 138—*R., dated Camp Mysore, 16th February* 1897.

C. V. Krishnasami Rao, B. A., Revenue Probationer, is appointed acting Amildar, 4th Class, *sub pro tem, vice* Purmavelu Sitaramaiya, appointed Acting Extra Assistant Commissioner, and is posted to the Tarikere taluk with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd Class. (To join forthwith.)

No. 142—*R., dated Camp Mysore, 16th February* 1897.

Mr. Hema Hanumanthaiya, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police, Shimoga, is appointed to act as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldrug district (for Treasury charge *vice* Mr. Chengeri Krishna Row, located at Davangere).

2. Nadig Soob Row, Amildar of Tarikere, is appointed to act as Assistant Superintendent of Police, Shimoga district, during the absence of Mr. R. B. Plumer on leave or until further orders (to join forthwith handing over charge to the Taluk Sheristadar).

No. 151—*Ex., dated Camp Mysore, 16th February* 1897.

Government are pleased to direct that the following be substituted for Condition IX in para 8 of Notification No. 5814—Ex. 223, dated the 28th December 1896, inviting tenders for the next arrack manufacturing contract :—

"The out-going contractor shall sell, and the in-coming contractor shall purchase, all apparatus and stock and block belonging to the out-going contractor at the Government Central Distillery, Bangalore, for a fair and equitable price to be fixed by the Excise Commissioner, calculating the original cost and deducting therefrom depreciation for the period of user at such average rate as may be determined by Government, and of which timely notice will be given to the out-going contractor and to intending bidders by a Notification to be duly published in that behalf."

The petition box kept at the Dewan's Office, Bangalore, will be cleared at 12 noon every day by the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments, and, in his absence from Bangalore, by the Under-Secretary.

By Order,

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Departments.